

THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS
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December 1 - 8, 2008 Edition

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This e-mail is divided into three sections:

- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:

ARS Spartan Sprint: 0200Z-0400Z, Dec 2

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Skinny

Tubby

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Power

Work stations: Once per band

Submit logs by: December 4, 2008

E-mail logs to: spartansprint[at]yahoo[dot]com

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://arsqrp.pbwiki.com/Spartan+Sprints>

ARCI Topband Sprint: 0000Z-0600Z, Dec 4

Mode: CW, SSB

Bands: 160m Only

Classes: CW Only

SSB Only

Mixed

Max operating hours: 6 hours

Exchange: ARCI: RST + (state/province/country) + ARCI No.

non-ARCI: RST + (state/province/country) + power out

Work stations: Once regardless of mode

QSO Points: ARCI Member: 5 points

Non-Member Different Continent: 4 points

Non-Member Same Continent: 2 points

Multipliers: States, once regardless of mode

VE Provinces, once regardless of mode

Countries, once regardless of mode

CW Power Mult: x1 >5W, x7 1-5W, x10 250mW-1W, 15x 55-250mW, 20x

<55mW

SSB Power Mult: x1 >10W, x7 2-10W, x10 500mW-2W, 15x 100-500mW, 20x

<55mW

Mixed Power Mult: smaller of CW or SSB power multiplier

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (state mults + province mults + country mults) x power mult

Submit logs by: January 4, 2009

E-mail logs to: contest[at]qrparci[dot]org

Mail logs to: ARCI Top Band Sprint

c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF

139 Elizabeth St. W.

Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3

Canada

Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/component/option,com_extcalendar/Itemid,/,extmode,view/extid,64/lang,en/

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Dec 5

Mode: (see rules)

Bands: (see rules)

Classes: (none)

Exchange: (see rules)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: December 7, 2008

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at: <http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm>

ARRL 160-Meter Contest: 2200Z, Dec 5 to 1600Z, Dec 7

Mode: CW

Bands: 160m Only

Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)

Multi-Single

Max operating hours: 42 hours

Max power: HP: 1500 watts

LP: 150 watts

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: W/VE: RST + ARRL/RAC Section

DX: RST

QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with ARRL/RAC Section

W/VE Station: 5 points per DX QSO

Multipliers: Each ARRL/RAC Sections

Each DXCC Country (W/VE only)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (total section mults + total country mults)

Submit logs by: January 6, 2009

E-mail logs to: 160meter[at]arrl[dot]org

Mail logs to: 160 Meter Contest

ARRL

225 Main St.

Newington, CT 06111

USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/160-meters.html>

TARA RTTY Melee: 0000Z-2400Z, Dec 6

Mode: RTTY

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Single Op (Low/High)

Multi-Op (Low/High)

SWL

Max operating hours: 16 hours, offtime in no more than 2 blocks

Max power: HP: 1500 watts

LP: 150 watts

Exchange: W/VE: RST + (state/province)

DX: RST + Serial No.

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each state once only

Each VE province/territory once only

Each DXCC country once only

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (total state mults + total province mults + total country mults)

Submit logs by: December 31, 2008

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at: http://www.n2ty.org/seasons/tara_melee_score.html

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: http://www.n2ty.org/seasons/tara_melee_rules.html

Wake-Up! QRP Sprint: 0400Z-0429Z, Dec 6 and 0430Z-0459Z, Dec 6 and 0500Z-0529Z, Dec 6 and 0530Z-0600Z, Dec 6

Mode: CW

Bands: 40, 20m

Classes: (none)

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST + Serial No. + suffix of previous QSO ("QRP" for 1st QSO)

Work stations: Once per band per period

QSO Points: 1 point per km

Multipliers: 1 point per new station worked on each band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total multiplier points

Submit logs by: December 13, 2008

E-mail logs to: ru-qrp-club[at]mail[dot]ru

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://qrp.ru/modules/sections/index.php?op=viewarticle&artid=7&page=1>

TOPS Activity Contest: 1600Z, Dec 6 to 1759Z, Dec 7

Mode: CW

Bands: 80m Only

Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)

Multi-Single

Max power: High: >100 watts

Low: 100 watts

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: TOPS/PRO-CW Members: RST + Serial No. + Member Abbreviation

non-Members: RST + Serial No.

Work stations: Once

QSO Points: QSO with own country: 1 point
QSO with own continent: 2 points
QSO with TOPS/PRO-CW member: 2 bonus points
QSO between TOPS/PRO-CW members: 6 bonus points
Multipliers: Each prefix
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: December 31, 2008
E-mail logs to: yo2rr[at]clicknet[dot]ro
Mail logs to: Ioan Branga YO2RR
Str. Imparatul Traian nr.2
RO-305500 LUGOJ
ROMANIA
Find rules at: <http://www.procwclub.yo6ex.ro/tacrules.pdf>

NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint	0130Z-0330Z, Dec 10
NA High Speed Meteor Scatter Winter Rally	0000Z, Dec 11 to 0200Z, Dec 15
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 12
ARRL 10-Meter Contest	0000Z, Dec 13 to 2400Z, Dec 14
MDXA PSK DeathMatch	0000Z, Dec 13 to 2400Z, Dec 14
SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	0000Z-2400Z, Dec 14

CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

SKCC Sprint: November 28, 2008
E-mail summary: (none)
Post web summary: <http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/sks/sks-submit.html>
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: <http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/sks/>

JARTS WW RTTY Contest: November 30, 2008
E-mail: (none)
Upload log at: http://www.kiznax.com/p/jarts/submit_form.html
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: <http://www.edsoftz.com/JARTS/2008/rules2008.html>

W/VE Islands QSO Party: November 30, 2008
E-mail: CM[at]usislands[dot]org
Mail: John Almon, WA4JA
1411 Oak Leaf Dr.
Columbia, TN 38401
USA

Find rules at: http://www.usislands.org/contest_rules.html

NCCC Sprint: November 30, 2008

E-mail: (none)

Post web summary: <http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/>

Mail: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm>

RSGB 2nd 1.8 MHz Contest, CW: December 1, 2008

E-mail: 2nd160[dot]logs[at]rsgbhfcc[dot]org

Mail: RSGB-G3UFY

77 Bensham Manor Road

Thornton Heath, Surrey CR7 7AF

England

Find rules at: <http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2008/r18mhz.shtml>

CQ Worldwide DX Contest, SSB: December 1, 2008

E-mail: ssb[at]cqww[dot]com

Mail: CQWW SSB

CQ Magazine

25 Newbridge Road

Hicksville, NY 11801

USA

Find rules at: http://www.cqww.com/2008_rules_cqww.pdf

Feld Hell Sprint: December 1, 2008

E-mail: (none)

Post web summary: <http://www.bambinomusical.com/autolog.html>

Mail: (none)

Find rules at: <http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/Home/contests>

CQ-WE Contest: December 1, 2008

E-mail: (see rules)

Mail: (see rules)

Find rules at: <http://cqwe.cboh.org/rules.html>

OK/OM DX Contest, CW: December 1, 2008

E-mail: okomdx[at]crk[dot]cz

Mail: OK-OM DX Contest

CRK

P.O. Box 69

113 27 Praha 1

Czech Republic

Find rules at: <http://okomdx.crk.cz/g.html>

SARL Field Day Contest: December 1, 2008

E-mail: hfcontests[at]netactive[dot]co[dot]za

Mail: Field Day Contest

Bloemfontein Radio Amateur Club

PO Box 12104

Brandhof, 9324

South Africa

Find rules at: <http://www.sarl.org.za/public/contests/SARL%202008%20Contest%20Manual.pdf>

DARC 10-Meter Digital Contest: December 2, 2008

E-mail: [df5bx\[at\]darc\[dot\]de](mailto:df5bx[at]darc[dot]de)

Mail: Werner Ludwig, DF5BX
P.O. Box 1270
49110 Georgsmarienhuetten
Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.darc.de/referate/ukw-funksport/sonder/tei-digi.htm>

Ukrainian DX Contest: December 2, 2008

E-mail: [urdx\[at\]ukr\[dot\]net](mailto:urdx[at]ukr[dot]net)

Mail: Ukrainian Contest Club HQ
P.O. Box 4850
Zaporozhye 69118
Ukraine

Find rules at: http://www.ucc.zp.ua/urdx2008rules_eng.htm

ARRL Sweepstakes Contest, CW: December 3, 2008

E-mail: [SSCW\[at\]arrl\[dot\]org](mailto:SSCW[at]arrl[dot]org)

Mail: November SS CW
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/novss.html>

RSGB 80m Club Sprint, CW: December 3, 2008

E-mail: [cwsprint\[dot\]logs\[at\]rsgbhfcc\[dot\]org](mailto:cwsprint[dot]logs[at]rsgbhfcc[dot]org)

Upload log at: <http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfcover.pl>

Mail: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2008/rsprint.shtml>

NA Collegiate ARC Championship, CW: December 3, 2008

E-mail: [SSCW\[at\]arrl\[dot\]org](mailto:SSCW[at]arrl[dot]org)

E-mail summary: [wm5r\[at\]wm5r\[dot\]org](mailto:wm5r[at]wm5r[dot]org)

Mail: November SS CW
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.collegiatechampionship.org/rules/>

YO International PSK31 Contest: December 6, 2008

E-mail: [yo5crq\[at\]gmail\[dot\]com](mailto:yo5crq[at]gmail[dot]com)

Mail: Radioclubul YO5KAD
P.O. Box 220
RO-430281 Baia Mare
Romania

Find rules at: <http://www.yo5crq.ro/Rules2008EN.htm>

High Speed Club CW Contest: December 14, 2008

E-mail: [hsccontest\[at\]googlemail\[dot\]com](mailto:hsccontest[at]googlemail[dot]com)

Mail: Jo Mertens, DJ4EY
HSC Contest Manager

Am Muhlebruch 32
59581 Warstein
Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.fmcnet.de/hsc/en/contests.html>

WAE DX Contest, RTTY: December 15, 2008
E-mail: waertty@dxhf.darc.de
Mail: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.darc.de/referate/dx/xedcwr.htm>

ARRL EME Contest: December 16, 2008
E-mail: EMEcontest@arrl.org
Mail: EME Contest

ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/eme.html>

ARRL EME Contest: December 16, 2008
E-mail: EMEcontest@arrl.org
Mail: EME Contest

ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/eme.html>

ARRL EME Contest: December 16, 2008
E-mail: EMEcontest@arrl.org
Mail: EME Contest

ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/eme.html>

EU PSK63 QSO Party: December 16, 2008
E-mail: ut7fp@srars.org
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://eu.srars.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=66&Itemid=141

ARRL Sweepstakes Contest, SSB: December 17, 2008
E-mail: SSPhone@arrl.org
Mail: November SS Phone

ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/novss.html>

NA Collegiate ARC Championship, SSB: December 17, 2008
E-mail: SSPhone@arrl.org

E-mail summary: [wm5r\[at\]wm5r\[dot\]org](mailto:wm5r[at]wm5r[dot]org)

Mail: November SS Phone
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.collegiatechampionship.org/rules/>

LZ DX Contest: December 23, 2008

E-mail: [lzdxc\[at\]yahoo\[dot\]com](mailto:lzdxc[at]yahoo[dot]com)

Mail: BFRA
P.O. Box 830
1000 Sofia
Bulgaria

Find rules at: <http://lzdxbfra.org/index.php/rules>

JIDX Phone Contest: December 31, 2008

E-mail: [ph\[at\]jidx\[dot\]org](mailto:ph[at]jidx[dot]org)

Mail: JIDX Phone Contest
c/o Five-Nine Magazine
P.O. Box 59, Kamata
Tokyo 144-8691
Japan

Find rules at: <http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html>

All Austrian 160-Meter Contest: December 31, 2008

E-mail: [hf-contest\[at\]oevsv\[dot\]at](mailto:hf-contest[at]oevsv[dot]at)

Mail: OEVS-VH
HF-Contest Manager
Eisvogelgasse 4/1
A-1060 Vienna
Austria

Find rules at: http://www.oevsv.at/export/oevsv/download/AOEC/Aoec_160m_2008.pdf

IPARC Contest, CW: December 31, 2008

E-mail: [dl8kcg\[at\]darc\[dot\]de](mailto:dl8kcg[at]darc[dot]de)

Mail: Uwe Greggersen, DL8KCG
Hurststr 9
D-51645 Gummersbach
Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.ipa-rc.de/cont-e.htm>

IPARC Contest, SSB: December 31, 2008

E-mail: [dl8kcg\[at\]darc\[dot\]de](mailto:dl8kcg[at]darc[dot]de)

Mail: Uwe Greggersen, DL8KCG
Hurststr 9
D-51645 Gummersbach
Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.ipa-rc.de/cont-e.htm>

Kentucky QSO Party: December 31, 2008

E-mail: (none)

Mail: Western Kentucky DX Association
P.O. Box 73

Alvaton, KY 42122

USA

Find rules at: http://www.wkdx.com/mainsite/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=35&Itemid=56

JT Hamradio-50 Anniversary DX Contest: January 1, 2009

E-mail: [jt1kaa\[at\]gmail\[dot\]com](mailto:jt1kaa@gmail.com)

Mail: JT DX Contest

Mongolian Amateur Radio Society

P.O. Box 830

Ulaanbaatar-24

Mongolia

Find rules at: <http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/jt50.pdf>

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